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This is a request for filing a continuation patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of prior application 09/232,861, filed January 15, 1999 in the name of inventors:

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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR REGULATED TRANSCRIPTION AND **EXPRESSION OF HETEROLOGOUS GENES**

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Respectfully submitted,

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